

# Package ‘rotationForest’

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**Description** Fit and deploy rotation forest models (`Rodriguez, J.J., Kuncheva, L.I., 2006. Rotation forest: A new classifier ensemble method. IEEE Trans. Pattern Anal. Mach. Intell. 28, 1619-1630 <[doi:10.1109/TPAMI.2006.211](https://doi.org/10.1109/TPAMI.2006.211)>") for binary classification.  
Rotation forest is an ensemble method where each base classifier (tree) is fit on the principal components of the variables of random partitions of the feature set.

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**predict.rotationForest***Predict method for rotationForest objects***Description**

Prediction of new data using rotationForest.

**Usage**

```
## S3 method for class 'rotationForest'
predict(object, newdata, all = FALSE, ...)
```

**Arguments**

<code>object</code>	An object of class <code>rotationForest</code>
<code>newdata</code>	A data frame with the same predictors as in the training data.
<code>all</code>	Return the predictions per tree instead of the average.
<code>...</code>	Not used currently.

**Value**

A vector containing the response scores.

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**References**

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**See Also**

[rotationForest](#)

**Examples**

```
data(iris)
y <- as.factor(ifelse(iris$Species[1:100]=="setosa",0,1))
x <- iris[1:100,-5]
rF <- rotationForest(x,y)
predict(object=rF,newdata=x)
```

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rotationForest	<i>Binary classification with Rotation Forest (Rodriguez en Kuncheva, 2006)</i>
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## Description

rotationForest implements an ensemble method where each base classifier (tree) is fit on the principal components of the variables of random partitions of the feature set.

## Usage

```
rotationForest(x, y, K = round(ncol(x)/3, 0), L = 10, verbose = FALSE,  
...)
```

## Arguments

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|---------|---|
| x       | A data frame of predictors (numeric, or integer). Categorical variables need to be transformed to indicator (dummy) variables. At minimum x requires two columns. |
| y       | A factor containing the response vector. Only {0,1} is allowed.   |
| K       | The number of variable subsets. The default is the value K that results in three features per subset.   |
| L       | The number of base classifiers (trees using the rpart package). The default is 10.  |
| verbose | Boolean. Should information about the subsets be printed?   |
| ...     | Arguments to rpart.control. First run library(rpart).   |

## Value

An object of class rotationForest, which is a list with the following elements:

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|-------------|---------------------|
| models      | A list of trees.    |
| loadings    | A list of loadings. |
| columnnames | Column names of x.  |

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rotationForestNews      *Display the NEWS file*

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**Description**

rotationForestNews shows the NEWS file of the rotationForest package.

**Usage**

```
rotationForestNews()
```

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**Examples**

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rotationForestNews()
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